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SUBJECT: BELBAGCO

REF: STATE 217052

1. EMBOFF DELIVERED SEPTEMBER 2 OUR REPLY TO INDUSTRIES SECRETARY'S JUNE 25 LETTER AND PERSONAL ASSISTANT ACKNOWLEDGED RECEIPT.

2. ECON COUNSELOR CALLED ON ALTAF HOSSAIN SEPTEMBER 3. HOSSAIN SAID HIS FIRM, H. AND H., WOULD BE IN A POSITION TO DEVOTE TIME TO THIS CLAIM; OFFERED ADVICE ON FILING CLAIM (BELOW) AND WILL WRITE DIRECTLY TO RICHARD STERN, COUNSEL, OPIC, PROPOSING MANNER OF COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES. WE HAVE GIVEN HIM COPIES OF JUNE 25 AND SEPTEMBER 2 LETTERS, OPIC AGREEMENT WITH BELBAGCO SIDELETTER AND BELBAGCO CLAIM FORMS.

4. ALTAF HOSSAIN BELIEVES THAT IMPLEMENTATION AND PAYMENTS CELL MUST ACCEPT BELBAGCO CLAIM FORMS. SUCH ACCEPTANCE CAUSES NO OBLIGATION TO ACCEPT OR PAY CLAIM, BUT DOES ESTABLISH FACT THAT CLAIM WAS FILED BEFORE SEPTEMBER 15 DEADLINE. (NOTE: ALTAF HOSSAIN SAYS THAT HE HAS FILED OTHER CLAIMS IN INCOMPLETE STATE WITH ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS TO FOLLOW, SO WE NEED NOT AWAIT ARRIVAL OF DELAWARE STATE DOCUMENT, DULY AUTHENTICATED, TO FILE.) HOWEVER, WE HAVE NOT YET BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN OBTAINING CLARIFICATION SOUGHT PARA 4, REFTEL AND HAVE NOT YET ATTEMPTED AGAIN TO FILE CLAIM FORMS. WE WILL, OF COURSE, PURSUE THIS UNTIL WE CAN REPORT

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DEFINITELY WHERE WE STAND.

5. WE HAVE AIRPOUCHED SEPTEMBER 3 TO OPIC (ATTENTION:
RICHARD STERN), REGISTRY NO. 001066, COPY OF DEPARTMENT'S A-12414
OF DECEMBER 14, 1972, BUT REGRET WE DO NOT HAVE A COPY OF DACCA
A-55 OF DECEMBER 14, 1972. WE DO BELIEVE IT CONTAINED MATERIAL
RELEVANT TO BELBAGCO CASE, AND WOULD BE WORTH SEEKING IN
THE ARCHIVES.

6. STATE'S 218687 JUST RECEIVED. REPLY FOLLOWS SEPTEL SOONEST.
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